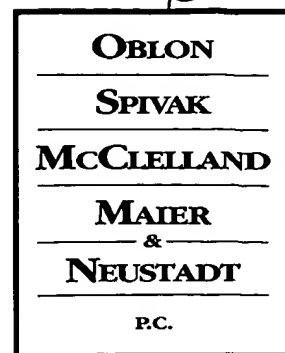




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RE: Application Serial No.: 09/619,614

Applicants: Makoto KUKITA

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For: PORTABLE ELECTRONIC APPARATUS WITH
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Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

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Our check in the amount of \$0.00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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The drawings filed 07-19-2000 have been received. However, an inconsistency exists between the drawings and the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification.

Figures 3A and 3B are listed in the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification but not contained in the Drawings.

Figure 3 is contained in the Drawings but not listed in the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification.

Applicant is required to correct the above-noted inconsistency within a time period of **ONE MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS, whichever is longer**, from the mailing date of this Notice, or within the time remaining in the time period set forth in the Notice of Allowability (Form PTOL-37) to file corrected drawings, whichever is longer. **NO EXTENSION OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER EITHER 37 CFR 1.136 (a) OR (b)**

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Responsive to the below indicated communication, the following drawing sheets are submitted herewith:

☒ 1 Replacement Drawing Sheets ☐ _____ New Drawing Sheets

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☐ Other dated _____

The changes and/or modifications made include the following:

Figures 3A and 3B submitted as listed in the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification.

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